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Re:

Our Ref.: SLRE.103540/01

United States Patent Appln. No. 10/677,708

Inventor: STOLLER, Jerry H.

Title: Suppressing Plant Pathogens and Pests with Applied

or Induced Auxins

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith are the following documents:

- Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a);
- Election, Amendment and Response; and
- a self-addressed postal card to acknowledge receipt of the foregoing submissions.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 19-2112 for any fees which may be required in connection with this filing. This authorization is made in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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